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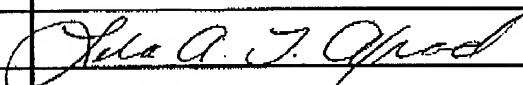
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		Filing Date	01/09/2002
		First Named Inventor	Jinrui Shi
		Art Unit	1638
		Examiner Name	Baum, Stuart F.
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	21	Attorney Docket Number	1286

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Application Number	10/042,894
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First Named Inventor	Jinrui Shi
Examiner Name	Baum, Stuart F.
Art Unit	1638
Attorney Docket No.	1286

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Large Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
	1001	770	2001	385		Utility filing fee	
	1002	340	2002	170		Design filing fee	
	1003	530	2003	265		Plant filing fee	
	1004	770	2004	385		Reissue filing fee	
	1005	150	2005	80		Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1)

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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	41	-46 **	=	0	X	18	=	0
Independent Claims	3	-6 **	=	0	X	98	=	0
Multiple Dependent					X		=	0

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	1202	18	2202	9		Claims in excess of 20
	1201	86	2201	43		Independent claims in excess of 3
	1203	200	2203	145		Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
	1204	86	2204	43		** Reissue independent claims over original patent
	1205	18	2205	9		** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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	1051	130	2051	65		Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
	1052	50	2052	25		Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
	1053	130	2053	130		Non-English specification	
	1812	2,520	1812	2,520		For filing a request for reexamination	
	1804	920*	1804	920*		Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
	1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*		Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
	1251	110	2251	55		Extension for reply within first month	110
	1252	420	2252	210		Extension for reply within second month	
	1253	950	2253	475		Extension for reply within third month	
	1254	1,480	2254	740		Extension for reply within fourth month	
	1255	2,010	2255	1,005		Extension for reply within fifth month	
	1401	330	2401	165		Notice of Appeal	
	1402	330	2402	165		Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
	1403	290	2403	145		Request for oral hearing	
	1451	1,510	1451	1,510		Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
	1452	110	2452	55		Petition to revive - unavoidable	
	1453	1,330	2453	665		Petition to revive - unintentional	
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	1503	640	2503	320		Plant issue fee	
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	1802	900	1802	900		Request for expedited examination of a design application	


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